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Serial Number: 09/993,820  
Filing Date: 11/16/2001  
Applicant(s): Darin Prizzi  
Entitled: TOWEL HOLDER  
Examiner: Anita M. King  
Group Art Unit: 3632  
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**PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.181**

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Abandonment mailed March 9, 2004, Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner to withdraw the holding of abandonment.

On May 7, 2003, a Non-final Rejection was mailed to Allen D. Brufsky, P.A., which was duly docketed on May 19, 2003 in the Flex-Trac Docketing System at the law firm of Ferrell Schultz Carter & Fertel, P.A. and verified by the undersigned attorney. A copy of the duly docketed Non-Final Rejection dated May 07, 2003 is attached hereto as Exhibit A. The Affidavit of Allen D. Brufsky describing Mr. Brufsky's docketing responsibilities is attached hereto as Exhibit B. On August 7, 2003, a timely amendment to the Non-final Rejection dated May 7, 2003 was hand-delivered by the undersigned attorney to the Examiner responsible for this application. A copy of the amendment showing the U.S.P.T.O. stamped receipt is attached hereto as Exhibit C.

A Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (Voluntary Revised Practice), dated August 26, 2003, was apparently mailed but not received by the undersigned attorney. A copy of the facsimile Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (Voluntary Revised Practice), dated August 26, 2003 is attached hereto as Exhibit D.

Furthermore, a search of the file jacket and the docket records for the subject Application indicates that the Office communication was not received prior to April 12, 2004. The attached Affidavit of Allen D. Brufsky, who was the person responsible for verifying the receipt and docketing of all U.S.P.T.O. correspondence relating to the subject Application, supports this fact.

On March 9, 2004, a Notice of Abandonment was mailed indicating that Patent Application Serial Number 09/993,820 was abandoned for failure to reply to an Office Action notice allegedly mailed on August 26, 2003 to Allen D. Brufsky, P.A. After a request to Examiner Anita M. King, a facsimile copy of a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (Voluntary Revised Practice), dated August 26, 2003, was first received on April 12, 2004,

indicating that a complete listing of all of the claims was not present in the amendment paper, and that the listing of the claims did not include the text of all claims currently under examination.

Based on the above and as set forth in the attached Affidavit of Allen D. Brufsky, Applicant and Applicant's counsel did not receive the aforementioned Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (Voluntary Revised Practice) until it was faxed on April 12, 2004.

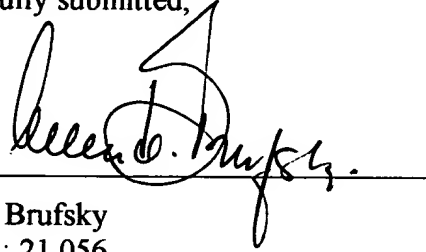
The attached docket report (Exhibit E) shows an entry for the last docketed activity for the subject Application. As is set out in Exhibit E, the last entry is dated August 11, 2003, more than two weeks before the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (Voluntary Revised Practice) was allegedly mailed. If such a Notice had been received, the last docket entry would have reflected this receipt.

Consequently, the Applicant, through undersigned counsel and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.181 and M.P.E.P. 711.03(c) subsection II, hereby submits this Petition with supporting documentary evidence including the corresponding copy of the docket report, and without a fee (as no fee is required) establishing without question that the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (Voluntary Revised Practice), dated August 26, 2003, was never timely received by Applicant's counsel prior to the abandonment of the subject Application..

Also enclosed herewith is a Response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (Voluntary Revised Practice) including a revised Amendment complying with the guidelines of the voluntary revised amendment practice.

Therefore, in light of the above, Applicant respectfully requests that the Commissioner withdraw the holding of abandonment and allow the subject Application to be examined.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Allen D. Brufsky", is written over a horizontal line.

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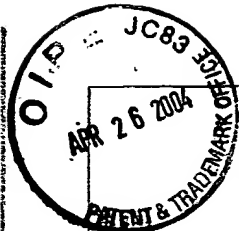
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## Office Action Summary

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### A SHORTENED STATUTORY PERIOD FOR REPLY IS SET TO EXPIRE 3 MONTH(S) FROM THE MAILING DATE OF THIS COMMUNICATION.

- Extensions of time may be available under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). In no event, however, may a reply be timely filed after SIX (6) MONTHS from the mailing date of this communication.
- If the period for reply specified above is less than thirty (30) days, a reply within the statutory minimum of thirty (30) days will be considered timely.
- If NO period for reply is specified above, the maximum statutory period will apply and will expire SIX (6) MONTHS from the mailing date of this communication.
- Failure to reply within the set or extended period for reply will, by statute, cause the application to become ABANDONED (35 U.S.C. § 133).
- Any reply received by the Office later than three months after the mailing date of this communication, even if timely filed, may reduce any earned patent term adjustment. See 37 CFR 1.704(b).

### Status

- 1) ☒ Responsive to communication(s) filed on 12 February 2003.
- 2a) ☐ This action is FINAL. 2b) ☒ This action is non-final.
- 3) ☐ Since this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.

### Disposition of Claims

- 4) ☒ Claim(s) 1-9 is/are pending in the application.
- 4a) Of the above claim(s) \_\_\_\_\_ is/are withdrawn from consideration.
- 5) ☒ Claim(s) 6 is/are allowed.
- 6) ☒ Claim(s) 1-5 and 7-9 is/are rejected.
- 7) ☐ Claim(s) \_\_\_\_\_ is/are objected to.
- 8) ☐ Claim(s) \_\_\_\_\_ are subject to restriction and/or election requirement.

### Application Papers

- 9) ☐ The specification is objected to by the Examiner.
- 10) ☐ The drawing(s) filed on \_\_\_\_\_ is/are: a) ☐ accepted or b) ☐ objected to by the Examiner.  
Applicant may not request that any objection to the drawing(s) be held in abeyance. See 37 CFR 1.85(a).
- 11) ☐ The proposed drawing correction filed on \_\_\_\_\_ is: a) ☐ approved b) ☐ disapproved by the Examiner.  
If approved, corrected drawings are required in reply to this Office action.
- 12) ☐ The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner.

### Priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and 120

- 13) ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).  
a) ☐ All b) ☐ Some \* c) ☐ None of:  
1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.  
2. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. \_\_\_\_\_.  
3. ☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this National Stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).  
\* See the attached detailed Office action for a list of the certified copies not received.
- 14) ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for domestic priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) (to a provisional application).  
a) ☐ The translation of the foreign language provisional application has been received.
- 15) ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for domestic priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 120 and/or 121.

### Attachment(s)

- 1) ☐ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892) 4) ☐ Interview Summary (PTO-413) Paper No(s) \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) ☐ Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) 5) ☐ Notice of Informal Patent Application (PTO-152)
- 3) ☐ Information Disclosure Statement(s) (PTO-1449) Paper No(s) \_\_\_\_\_ 6) ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

This is the third office action for application number 09/993,820, Towel Holder, filed on November 16, 2001.

***Continued Examination Under 37 CFR 1.114***

A request for continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114, including the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(e), was filed in this application after final rejection. Since this application is eligible for continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114, and the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(e) has been timely paid, the finality of the previous Office action has been withdrawn pursuant to 37 CFR 1.114. Applicant's submission filed on February 12, 2003 has been entered.

***Cancellations of Claims***

Claim 10 has been canceled per applicant's request in Paper No. 7, dated February 12, 2003.

***Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 112***

The following is a quotation of the second paragraph of 35 U.S.C. 112:

The specification shall conclude with one or more claims particularly pointing out and distinctly claiming the subject matter which the applicant regards as his invention.

Claim 9 is rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention.

Claim 9 is redundant and thus, is indefinite. The limitations cited in claim 9 are previously cited in claim 7 from which claim 9 indirectly depends.

***Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 103***

The text of those sections of Title 35, U.S. Code not included in this action can be found in a prior Office action.

Claims 1-5 and 7-9 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over U.S. Patent 5,611,123 to Prizzi in view of U.S. Patent 5,362,018 to Darr et al., hereinafter, Darr or U.S. Patent 5,782,090 to Locke. Prizzi discloses in combination a releasable tube holder (10) and a longitudinal support (40), the tube holder comprising: a circular plastic tube split lengthwise into longitudinally mirror image straight halves forming two opposed clamping members (16, 18) joined together at across a first pair of split edges (20) and separated by a second pair of split edges (20), each of the clamping members provided with at least one separated handle member (22) positioned on one of the clamping member halves and opposite another handle member on the other clamping member half, the clamping member halves being hingedly connected by a living hinge (Figs. 4 and 5) between the first pair of split edges to activate opening and closing of the opposed clamping members and separation and closing of the second pair of split edges which engage and are secured to the support by applying and removing pressure on the oppositely positioned handle members; the longitudinal support supporting a towel (38); the plastic tube having an interior surface (36) which has been serrated; wherein the support is a beach chair having a longitudinal top



support; wherein the hinge member extends along and in the direction of the axis of the one pair of straight across split edges hingedly connected; and wherein the hinge member extends axially along the first pair of split edges.

Prizzi discloses the claimed invention except for the limitation of the living hinge being formed by a groove. Darr also teaches that it is known in the clamping art to have a clamp/clip (30, Fig. 3) including a pair of clamping members (42) which are joined by a living hinge (40) at one pair of split edges and wherein the living hinge is formed by a groove (38). Locke teaches that it is known in the clamping art to have a clamp (10) including a pair of clamping members (20 and 30) hingedly connected by a living hinge (18) formed by a groove. It would have been obvious to one having ordinary skill in the art at the time the invention was made to have modified the living hinge in Prizzi to have been formed by a groove as taught by Darr and Locke for the purpose of providing an alternative mechanically equivalent means to permit bending and greater flexibility between the pair of joined clamping members.

Prizzi in combination with Darr or Locke disclose that the plastic tube is formed from polyvinyl chloride or similar plastic material. Prizzi discloses the claimed invention except for the limitation of the plastic tube being formed of polypropylene. It would have been obvious to one having ordinary skill in the art at the time the invention was made to have modified the material of the plastic in Prizzi to be polypropylene for the purpose of providing an alternative mechanical equivalent material of similar rigidity.

***Allowable Subject Matter***

Claim 6 is allowed.

***Response to Arguments***

Applicant's arguments filed February 2, 2003 have been fully considered but they are not persuasive. The Prizzi reference now in combination with the Darr and/or Locke references disclose the instant invention of claims 1-5 and 7-9.

In regards to applicant's arguments that neither Darr nor Locke discloses a living hinge formed by a groove between a pair of split edges, both Darr and Locke meet this limitation. Darr and Locke both disclose a pair of split edges (as disclosed by the embodiment in Fig. 5 of applicant's instant invention) connected together by a living hinge (40 in Darr and 18 in Locke) formed by a groove (Fig. 3 of Darr and Fig. 5 of Locke) for providing greater flexibility of the clamping member.

***Conclusion***

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Anita M. King whose telephone number is (703) 308-2162. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Thursday.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Leslie A. Braun can be reached on (703) 308-2156. The fax phone numbers for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned are (703)

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308-3597 for regular communications and (703) 308-3519 for After Final communications.

Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the receptionist whose telephone number is (703) 308-2168.

Anita M. King  
Primary Examiner  
Art Unit 3632

May 5, 2003

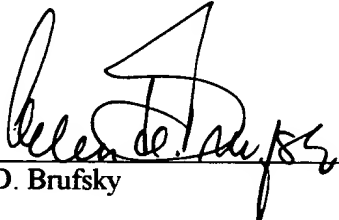
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1. I am a partner at Allen D. Brufsky, P.A. and previously affiliated with the law firm of Ferrell Schultz Carter & Fretel, P.A. ("Ferrell Schultz").
2. I was responsible for overseeing the docketing of all correspondence with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office for applications having the applicant name "Darin Prizzi" and the client series identified as "PRIZZI" from the date the applications were filed until those files were removed from the office of Ferrell Schultz in the month of Sept, 2003.
3. If a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (Voluntary Revised Procedure) had been received by firm for U.S. Patent Application No. 09/993,820 on or about August 26 2003, it would have been routed to my clerk, and I would have personally verified its proper docketing in the Ferrell Schultz docketing system.
4. The Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment for U.S. Patent Application No. 09/993,820, dated August 26, 2003, was not received until April 12, 2004.

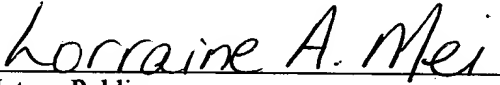
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FURTHER, AFFIANT SAITH NOT.

  
Allen D. Brufsky

STATE OF FLORIDA       )  
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The foregoing instrument was sworn to and subscribed before me this 20<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2004, by Allen D. Brufsky, who is personally known to me.

  
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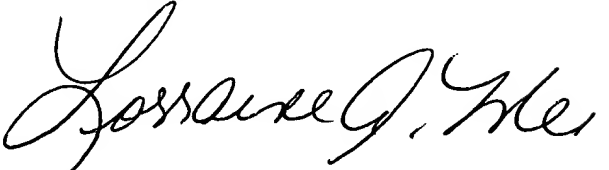


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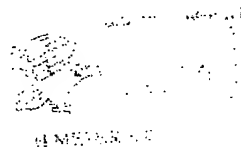
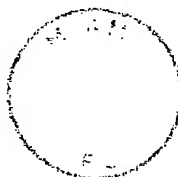
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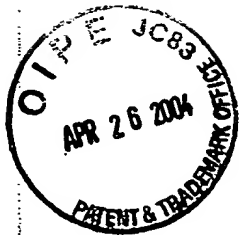
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EXHIBIT "C"



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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir/Madam:

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action dated May 7, 2003.

Status of the claims:

1. (Herein Amended) In combination a releasable tube holder and a longitudinal support comprising,

said tubular holder including a circular plastic tube split lengthwise into longitudinally mirror image straight halves forming two opposed clamping members joined together at across a first pair of split edges and separated by a second pair split edges, each clamping member provided with at least one separated handle member positioned on one of the clamping member halves and opposite another handle member on the other clamping member half, said clamping member halves being identical in cross-section and together forming a cylindrical surface being hingedly connected by a living hinge formed by a groove between said first pair of split edges to activate opening and closing of the opposed clamping members and separation and closing of the second pair of split edges which engage and are secured to the support by applying and removing pressure on the oppositely positioned handle members.

2. (Herein Amended) In combination a releasable tube holder and a longitudinal support comprising,

said longitudinal support supporting a towel hanging therefrom,  
said tubular holder including a circular plastic tube split lengthwise into longitudinally mirror image straight halves forming two opposed clamping members joined together at across a first pair of split edges and separated by a second pair of split edges, each clamping member provided with at least one separated handle member positioned on one of the clamping member halves and opposite another handle member on the other clamping member half, said clamping member halves being identical in cross-section and together forming a cylindrical surface being hingedly

connected by a living hinge formed by a groove between said first pair of split edges to activate opening and closing of the opposed clamping members and separation and closing of the second pair of split edges which engage and are secured to the support by applying and removing pressure on the oppositely positioned handle members.

6. (Allowed) In combination a releasable tube holder and a longitudinal support comprising,

said tubular holder including a circular plastic tube split lengthwise into longitudinally mirror image straight halves forming two opposed clamping members joined together at across a first pair of split edges and separated by a second pair of split edges, each clamping member provided with at least one separated handle member positioned on one of the clamping member halves and opposite another handle member on the other clamping member half, said clamping member halves being hingedly interconnected with a hinge pin connected by a hinge on each clamping member half said first pair of split edges with a torsion spring positioned between said first pair of split edges of said clamping member halves to activate opening and closing of the opposed clamping members and separation and closing of the second pair of split edges which engage and are secured to the support by applying and removing pressure on the oppositely positioned handle members.



7. (Herein Amended) In combination, a releasable tube holder and a longitudinal support comprising,

said tube holder including a circular plastic tube split lengthwise longitudinally into mirror image straight halves being identical in cross-section and together forming a cylindrical surface forming two opposed clamping members joined together at a first pair of straight across split edges and separated by a second pair of split edges, each clamping member provided with at least one separated handle member positioned on one of the clamping members and opposite another handle member on the other clamping member, said clamping member being hingedly connected by a living hinge member formed by a groove along one pair of said first pair of split edges to activate opening and closing of the opposed clamping members and separation and closing of said second pair of split edges which engage and are secured to the support by applying and removing pressure on the oppositely positioned handle members.

8. (Previously Amended). The holder of claim 7 wherein said living hinge member extends along and in the direction of said one pair of straight across split edges hingedly connected by said living hinge member extending along the axis of the first pair of split edges.

9. (Herein Canceled).

10. (Previously Canceled).

REMARKS

Claim 6 has been allowed. Claim 9 is hereby canceled. Claims 1-5, 7 and 8 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Prizzi, U.S. Patent No. 5,611,123, in view of the patents to Darr or Locke.

Applicant has now amended the claims to patentably differentiate from the art of record. The claims now call for the tube holder to have two separated clamping surfaces or split halves having an identical cross-section which together form a cylindrical surface. The clamping surfaces are hingedly connected along one split edge, such as by a living hinge. None of the secondary patents to Darr and Locke show the connection of two split halves being connected by a living hinge formed by a groove to effect clamping around a cylindrical surface without an additional closure element. Accordingly, no teaching of applying a living hinge to pair or split, identical, cross-section clamp halves so it may fit comfortably about a cylindrical portion of a frame of a chair. The rejection should be withdrawn and the application passed on to issue.

No fee is believed due with this Amendment. However, should a fee be deemed necessary, please charge such amount, or credit any overpayment, to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 501851.

Respectfully Submitted,

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